

# The Booneville Baptist

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*A place to belong... a place to become.*

AUGUST 29, 2010

## OPPORTUNITIES

**August 29 - September 4, 2010**  
Deacon on Call: Mark Pitner

### Sunday, August 29:

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
(WBIP-AM 1400)  
5:00 p.m. Youth Choir  
5:20 p.m. Mission Kids Workers Training  
Meeting  
6:30 p.m. Evening Worship  
(WBVV-FM 99.3)

### Wednesday, September 1:

- 5:30 p.m. Children's Rec  
6:00 p.m. College Bible Study Cookout  
(NEMCC BSU)  
6:30 p.m. Children's Choirs, Wednesday  
YT, Prayer Meeting  
7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

### Friday, September 3:

- 8:00 p.m. Sunday Morning Worship  
Service Broadcast (Cable 21,  
[www.ubntv.org](http://www.ubntv.org))

Visit our church website ([www.fbcbooneville.com](http://www.fbcbooneville.com))  
for upcoming events and previous editions  
of the newsletter.

## LABOR DAY FELLOWSHIP

**Sunday, September 5**  
**6:00 p.m.**  
**In the CLC**

## September at a Glance

**College Bible Study Kick-Off/Cook-Out**  
Wednesday, September 1  
6:00 p.m.—NEMCC BSU

**Labor Day Fellowship**  
Sunday, September 5  
6:00 p.m.—CLC

**Associational Prayer Rally**  
**"Concert of Prayers"**  
Sunday, September 12  
6:00 p.m.—Ingram Baptist Church

**"See-You-At-The-Pole"**  
Wednesday, September 22  
7:30 a.m.

and  
**"Saw-You-At-The-Pole"**  
Wednesday, September 22  
6:30 p.m.—FBC Sanctuary

**Baby Dedication Day**  
Sunday, September 26  
11:00 a.m.

# Discoveries in the Dry Seasons of Life

By: Dr. Lynn Jones

In the summer of 1980, Danielle and I were living in Newark, Texas. Newark is located on Eagle Mountain Lake, north of Fort Worth. Eagle Mountain Lake was created in 1932, by placing a dam across the Trinity River north of Lake Worth. When the dam was closed, the waters covered the river bottom throughout that area. The waters also covered the traces of ancient Indian campgrounds along the river.

From time-to-time, we would find along the shoreline some flint from arrow-making that had occurred in the region, but our finds were few and sporadic. In the great drought of the summer of 1980, however, things changed. The waters of the lake began to recede, exposing vast stretches of land along the old river channel. It also exposed more signs of the ancient Indian culture. Danielle was a more patient hunter than I, and during that summer she found several arrowheads that had been exposed by the receding water.

Her biggest find came late in the summer. While walking across a dry section of the lakebed near the old river channel, she saw something that looked promising. She stooped down, picked it up, and discovered that it was a six-inch spear point in almost perfect condition. It was an exciting discovery, and it occurred during the driest season that we had experienced in a long time.

That's a funny thing about the dry seasons of life. You often discover more things of value than at any other time of life. Droughts have a way of stripping away a lot of the things that often obscure our vision. They have a way of exposing things of greater importance.

There was a professional soccer player who was the picture of health and athleticism. His future as a soccer player held great promise. Then, disaster struck. He was injured in a terrible auto accident and was left paralyzed for eighteen months. His muscles began to show the debilitating effects of his paralysis. He saw younger soccer players on the rise, who began taking his place. As the days turned into weeks and the weeks into months, the sense of darkness that grew in this young man threatened to overwhelm him.

One day a nurse gave this young man a guitar. The only thing that gave him hope over these long days was the pleasure of learning to play that guitar. He not only learned to play, but he also discovered a joy in singing and, eventually, in composing. When he had finally recovered from his paralysis, the soccer career had ended, but in its place he had found something of great value. That young soccer player was named Julio Iglesias, and Julio Iglesias soon emerged on the world's stage as one of its most influential musicians.

When Paul had suffered much loss from his thorn in the flesh, it was in that time that he made one of his most beautiful discoveries. He discovered that God's grace was sufficient for him. The dry seasons of life can be seasons of great discovery. What have you discovered in the dry seasons of your life?

--Sunday's Sermons:

AM: "Surprised by God"

Acts 12:1-7

PM: "The Common Denominators of Life"--Luke 16:19-22; John 11:1-3

## COUNTING COMMITTEE:

David Jones, JoAnn Long

## USHERS:

### AM

Jimmy Taylor, Edwin Reed,  
David Chase, Joe Carter,  
Tommy Ragan, Keith Stevens,  
Henry Hankins

### PM

Bob Griffin, Collin Billingsley

## EXTENDED SESSION:

### August Coordinator:

Wendy Scott (728-0025/720-7224)

### August 29:

Deana Reynolds

Becky West

Lisa Lindsey

### September 5:

Tonya Nichols

Jennifer Dickerson

Jobie Lindsey

## GIFTS RECEIVED

*Gifts have been received by*

*First Baptist Church*

*in memory of*

*Ms. Rosemary Carr*

*Mr. James White*

*Mr. Von Michaels*

*Mrs. Blanche Roper*

*Mr. Tom Houston*

*Mr. Joe Kingsley*

*Mr. Robert White*

*Mrs. Reba English*

*Mr. Gordon Morgan*

*Mrs. Joann Rowland*

*Mrs. Louise Moore*

*Mrs. Frances Fisher*

*and in honor of*

*Dr. and Mrs. David Greenhaw*

## Mission Kids Workers

### Training Meeting

Sunday, August 29

5:20 p.m.

in the game room

# MUSIC NOTES

<b>August 22, 2010</b>	
Sunday School	256
Budget	\$ 4,923.29
Designated Offering	<u>1,062.00</u>
Total	\$ 5,985.29

**Pray For Our Homebound:**  
**Mrs. Mavis Morgan**  
**Mrs. Billie McGlaun**


Many thanks to our  
**Revival Choir!!**

What a great time we had this past week!!  
 Let's continue the spirit of Revival!!  
 Adult Choir—Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m.



**BABY DEDICATION**  
*Sunday, September 26, 2010*  
*11:00 a.m.*

*Please contact the church office as soon as possible if you would like to have your child dedicated at this time.*



**Children's Choirs**  
 resume

Wednesday, September 1  
 6:30 p.m.

**Saddle Up, Partners!! See you then!!**

**Youth Choir**  
*Sunday, August 29*

5:00 p.m.—Supper  
 5:30 p.m.—Rehearsal

**WE NEED YOU!!**



If you would like to sign up for G.R.O.W.

- ◆ Visitation team
- ◆ Prayer warrior
- ◆ Muffin/fruit preparer


Please fill out a form before Monday, September 13th.

## EDUCATIONAL EVENTS

**Mission Kids Workers' Training Meeting**  
 Sunday, August 29th  
 5:20 - 6:20 p.m.  
 in the Game Room and CLC

Dear WMU Ladies,  
 Thanks to all of you who provided desserts for us for our Thursday Bible Study Luncheon. We had plenty to go around. Thanks for being a blessing to these students and to me by taking the time to do this. We appreciate the sacrifice of your time, talents, and money. Please pray for us as we want to see Jesus change this campus and this nation!

*In His Service,*  
 Wayne Vandiver



**Letters and Numbers Night**

Friday, September 17th  
 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.  
 for babies through 6th grade

**Menu:** Alphabet trail mix, letter spaghetti, number gummies  
**Games:** Words in a Hat, 3-legged Race, Scattergories, Fill in the Captions, Name Game  
**Craft:** Make Letter and Number Cookies  
**Bible Lesson:** "H is for Heaven"  
**Sign-up:** By Wednesday, September 15th at bulletin boards by the Church office, Young Adults SS Class, or 2nd floor SS desk

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**“The heart of a man cannot be determined  
by the size of his pocketbook.”**

*“For what shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world,  
And lose his own soul? Or what shall a man give  
in exchange for his soul?”*

Mark 8:36, 37



**College Bible Study Cook-out**

September 1st

6:00 p.m.

at the NEMCC BSU

Come join us and bring a friend!!

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2 Corinthians 13:14

*May the grace of the  
Lord Jesus Christ,  
and the love of  
God, and the fellowship  
of the Holy Spirit  
be with you all.*